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Attached for filing in the above referenced application are:

1. Amendment and Response to Office Action (5 pages)

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
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Dear Sir;

This Amendment and Response is filed in response to the non-final Office Action having a mailing date of May 19, 2008. In the event that an additional fee is deemed necessary or overpayment due in connection with this response, the undersigned authorizes the charge to be applied to Deposit Account No. 502679.

The Claims begin on Page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin on Page 3 of this response.

Please reconsider the application as follows: